

BARBECUE FINANCED
BY ASSESSMENT IS
PLAN OF COMMITTEE

Those in Charge of Getting Funds to Meet Cost of Entertaining Soldiers and Sailors Put Matter on Cold Business Basis With Each Firm and Professional Man Chalked Up.

The barbecue expenses incident to the celebration in honor of the returned soldiers and sailors, to be held August 7, has been put on an assessment basis by the finance committee of the Commercial club.

The following is the statement of the finance committee:

"The finance committee has made a conservative estimate as to the cost of the barbecue August 7th for the soldier boys, and find to pull same off successfully it will take the full amount they have assessed against the following firms and individuals. The committee will call on you Thursday morning, July 17, 1919. Please have your money ready."

The assessments are as follows: \$50—City National Bank, First State Bank, First National Bank, S. B. Wilson & Co., Eugene Edge, Webb Bros., Edge Dry Goods Co., W. J. Coulter Co., Tyler Haswell, Bryan Ice Co., Bryan Oil Mill, Bryan Power Co., G. S. Parker Lumber Co., Cole Hardware Co., Howell & Co., A. M. Waldrop & Co., Howell Lumber Co., Chambers Wilson Motor Co., W. R. Fairman, Lawrence Grocery Co. \$25—Vick Bros., W. E. Saunders, Brandon & Lawrence, Smith Drug Co., M. H. James, Wallace Printing Co., Grant Lumber Co., J. M. Caldwell, Ed Emmel, Myers Hardware Co., McCulloch Gordon Co., Hotel Bryan, Lawlor Storage Co., Buick Co., David Reid, Thurston Cole, B. H. Knox, Geller & Son, W. E. Cloud, John Sebesta, Palermo Bros., J. B. Stevenson, Union Warehouse Co., D. Mike, Sanders Bros., C. G. Walker, Stephan Ice and Bottling Co., Globe Dry Goods Co., E. J. Jenkins, Gulf Refining Co., A. McKenzie, Pierce Fordyce Co., Bryan Telephone Co., Bryan College & Int. Co., D. D. White, Geo. Groginski, R. L. Brodgen, Maloney & Co., Allen Smith, Geo. Adams, Jno. A. Moore, E. J. Fountain.

\$20—New York Restaurant, Joe Noto, Barton Auto Co., Elite Confectionery, N. A. Stewart, Holmes Bros. Martin & Borsikie, Vick & Roman, S. W. Buchanan. \$15—Munday & Moehman, Vitopil & Gelber, Kennedy Cash Store, J. M. Saladin, Mahoney Bros., Zuk & Mendel, Nadebale Garage, Duke & Ayres, Texas Bakery, E. Greissner. \$10—B. Cash, T. Woodyard, J. S. Smith, C. Wetter, Candy Factory, Frank Bracyk, Griffin Bros., Chas. Todaro, Dally Dry Goods Co., Union Barber Shop, M. Bonnevill, New Meat Market, I. Manialoff, L. Labello, Jno. Nunn, J. T. Hanway, Gibbs & Hare, Tucker & Co., Nwe Shoe Shop, Colonial Theater, Steam Laundry, T. A. Adams, A. W. Emmel, P. S. Park, Sosolik Studio, J. T. Turner, Frank Webb, K. T. Auto Co., C. S. Moehman, Eagle Printing Co.

\$5—P. Levine, N. Goodman, L. McGee, M. P. Scardino, J. T. Denena, Cox Pool Hall, T. A. Satterwhite, Tony Woodyard, J. White, L. B. Kern Second-hand Shoe Shop, Carter Photo Studio, A. B. Ewing.

All professional men, \$5; clerks, \$1.

COLORED MASS MEETING.
A general mass meeting of the colored citizens of Brazos county will be held at the Pleasant Grove Baptist church, Bryan, Texas, Friday, July 18, 1919, at 8:30 p. m. to consummate plans for barbecue in honor of returned soldiers.

JUDGE SAYS IT'S CLEAR.
London, July 16.—An English law now stands a man may marry his dead wife's sister but a woman can not wed her dead husband's brother. The point was made clear by the presiding judge at the Northampton assizes the other day in the cases of two women who went through the marriage service with brothers of their husbands. Both were held for trial.

MOVIES FOR MAIDS BELIEVED SOLUTION OF HELP SHORTAGE
Chicago, Ill., July 16.—Evanston has the solution of maid question. More movies! If necessary, a changed Evanston.

Mrs. E. Klein, head of the North Shore Employment club, provider of domestic help to Evanston households, said, apropos of the strike of chambermaids at the North Shore hotel:

"Evanston has few movies during the week and none on Sunday. The girls can't afford to live in Evanston, and it's too far to neighborhoods in Chicago where they can afford to live. The North Shore is too highbrow to suit them, and at the South End they don't pay enough."

"Peace or not, they'll be scarce."

TEXAS FARMERS WILL
MEET THURSDAY FOR
WELFARE DISCUSSION

All Sessions Open to the General Public and Addresses Will Be of Character to Be Readily Understood and Appreciated by Ordinary Practical Man of Affairs.

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the twenty-second annual session of the Texas Farmers congress at A. and M. college tomorrow and while it is impossible to make an accurate forecast of the attendance the indications are a large number of farmers, horticulturists, honey producers, and horse, cattle and swine breeders will be on hand.

The sessions of the various auxiliary bodies affiliated with the congress will begin Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and hold during the morning and afternoons of both Thursday and Friday, while the first general session of the congress will be held Friday night, beginning at 7:30. Another general session will be held Friday night, with the final session coming Saturday morning, the body adjourning in time for the delegates to catch the noon trains for their homes.

Specific problems of the individual gardener, farmer, fruit grower, poultryman, livestock breeder, honey producer and other farm workers will be discussed at the sessions of the auxiliary bodies, which have been assigned special rooms in the several College buildings, while at the general sessions of the congress some major topics of vital concern to farmers as a whole and related to rural life development will be discussed. For instance, Thursday night, there will be the welcome address by President Bizzell, the annual reports of the president and secretary-treasurer of the congress, and an address on the marketing of the Texas cotton crop by Hon. Clarence Ousley, assistant secretary of agriculture.

Moving pictures will be given both Thursday and Friday nights, following the conclusion of the regular program.

All the sessions of the congress and its affiliated bodies are open to the public and the residents of Bryan and Brazos county are cordially invited to attend. Of wide popular interest, it is believed, will be the address on rural education Friday night by Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor university.

WOMEN'S BARBECUE
COMMITTEE IS ASKED
TO MEET THURSDAY

Mrs. Albert Buchanan, chairman of the committee on baskets, for the county-wide celebration to be given in honor of returned soldiers and sailors of Brazos county, August 7, calls for a full meeting of the Bryan committee on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock, at Carnegie library.

The following members of that committee are urged to be present, without fail: Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Mrs. M. R. Parker, Mrs. Frank L. Webb, Mrs. B. B. Grant, Mrs. Floy Dansby, Mrs. Jas. M. Dunn, Mrs. E. J. Fountain, Mrs. E. H. P. Bain, Mrs. Will S. Howell, Mrs. J. M. Saladin, Mrs. Horace Dansby, Miss Mable Zimmerman, Miss Julia Parizek, Mrs. P. M. Rysor.

RED CROSS WORKERS
TO FORM GALVESTON
LIFE SAVING CORPS

Members to Be Trained in Handling Drowning Persons.

Galveston, Tex., July 16.—An American Red Cross volunteer life-saving corps is being organized here. Examinations are held twice each week and applicants must pass the following tests: He must break strange holds on land and in water, must carry a man in four different positions in water, must dive into the deepest water of a local swimming pool and bring up a man from the bottom, must demonstrate ability to resuscitate a drowned person and must answer a series of questions.

As soon as fifteen men have passed the examinations application for a charter will be made and officers will be elected.

CAN FIX ALCOHOL CONTENT.

Washington, July 16.—Authority of congress to fix the maximum amount of alcoholic content in beverages in prohibition enforcement is clear, Wayne Wheeler, general counsel for the anti-saloon league declared today before the senate judiciary subcommittee, answering statements recently made by Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the brewers. Wheeler stated that to allow the sale of 2-4 per cent beer defeated the purposes of national prohibition.

CRUELITIES CHARGED
TO BE COMMON WITH
OFFICERS OF PRISON

House Committee Investigating Matter at Washington.

Washington, July 16.—Six former American soldiers testifying Tuesday before a special house committee investigating alleged cruelties to military prisoners in France, declared that merciless assaults were committed without provocation on the prisoners by arrogant officers in charge of the prisoners and camps. Only one of the witnesses, all of whom were charged with having been absent without leave, was convicted, the others have been acquitted or the charge dismissed.

The "bastille," the "stockade," "prison farm No. 2" and "St. Ann's hotel," also known as the "brig" were places named by the witnesses as the scene of the alleged cruelties which were said to have extended over several months in 1918. Some officers in charge of the prison camps, it was said, had been convicted by court martial and others were awaiting trial.

Lieutenant "Hard Boiled" Smith, one of the prison camp officers, was mentioned frequently while others named were Lieutenant Mason, Wolfmeyer and Bush.

"Did they try the general in charge of the camp?" asked Chairman Royal Johnson, who left his seat in congress to serve with the army abroad.

"Not that any one abroad," responded the witness.

When Lieutenant "Hard Boiled" Smith was tried at Tours, early this year, a hundred witnesses appeared against him and he was convicted, testified Sidney Kemp, New York City, who was a corporal of Company F, 102nd engineers, 28th division.

"A prisoner was smiling and an officer says: 'Take that smile off or I will.'" A. H. Mendelberg, Baltimore, who served with base hospital 42, testified. "The officer did by rolling the man in the mud," Mendelberg added.

When telling of poor food, Mendelberg said that "if you asked for an extra piece of bread you were flat on your back."

Meals, Mendelberg and others said, consisted of a stew made from canned beef, one slice of bread and a part of a cup of coffee. Some times only the stew was served, witnesses said.

APPROPRIATIONS RUN
UP INTO MILLIONS IN
LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Final Bill Will Be Work of Conference Committees.

Austin, July 16.—Departmental appropriations carrying a total of four and a half million dollars were considered in the house today. The speaker announced that he would keep the bill under consideration until it was finished. The senate is also considering a departmental appropriation bill with a total of over five million, indicating that the final bill will be framed by conference committee.

SALVADOR GILLESPOS DEAD.
San Salvador, July 16.—Dr. Salvador Gillespos, former minister of state and rector of the national university is dead. He will receive military honors of a general of distinction by order of the government.

REPARATION FOR KILLING.
Paris, July 16.—The French government will demand reparation from Germany as the result of the death of the sergeant major of dragons who was stabbed in Berlin during a recent riot, according to La Liberte.

SAYS WORLD WAR IS
ONLY FORETASTE OF
NEW ARMAGEDDON

New Zealander Premier Declares in Vancouver Speech That German Chemists Are Laboring on Deadly Concoctions to Wipe Out Enemies in Next Conflict.

Vancouver, July 16.—The world war was not Armageddon. Another conflict will follow because the Germans are not regenerated, Premier Massey of New Zealand declared here yesterday. He has recently returned from Paris. "Germany," he said, "has been given a great opportunity to rehabilitate herself, and in a few months will be among the first industrial nations of the world. I have been told, and believe it, that German chemists are now working to invent more destructive methods of crushing their enemies than those employed in the war just ended."

HARBOR HANDS HALT
AMMUNITION LOADED
VESSEL AT WHARVES

Unload Explosives Intended for Use in Russia.

Naples, July 16.—The steamer Cabloni, which arrived here from London today, was stopped by harbor workmen, who refused to allow her to continue her voyage because she carried ammunition intended for use against bolshevik Russia.

REVISE OLD TREATY.

Paris, July 16.—Representatives of Holland and Belgium meet delegates of the five great powers in Paris July 29 to begin work on the revision of the treaty of 1839.

PRICES TUMBLE WITH
CRASH IN BERLIN AS
BLOCKADE IS LIFTED

Hoarders of Supplies in Panic to Sell Out Hidden Wares.

Berlin, July 16.—Prices on all food-stuffs have fallen with a crash here as the result of the lifting of the blockade. They began to show weakness when it was rumored that the embargo would be lifted, but the real drop came only today.

Illicit dealers with huge concealed stocks brought them out in a virtual panic before competing supplies entering Germany. Tons of provisions are being shipped from occupied territories, while everywhere in the city great stores of coffee, cocoa, butter, sausages and other supplies made their appearance.

Berlin's official control bureau released sufficient imported leather for the production of three million pairs of shoes, in order to restrict the importation of ready made footwear.

TO FORM LEGION POST.

Former soldiers, sailors and marines are invited to take part in a preliminary meeting looking to the formation in Brazos county of a post of the American Legion at the Library Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

REPUBLICANS TO GET
SPECIAL DAY SET AT
DALLAS STATE FAIR

Party Organization Arranges for Program for Occasion

Fort Worth, July 15.—Texas republican day will be given a place on the program of the Texas state fair this fall, according to announcement given out by the executive committee of the Texas republican council which was in session in the office of Chairman C. C. Littleton here today. A movement was also launched to bring prominent national speakers to Texas to make addresses in the interest of the republican party and invitations will be extended by the council to party leaders to visit the state at intervals during the campaign in 1920. Plans were also perfected at the meeting for finishing organization work of the council and committees were appointed to have charge of the different divisions of the work.

45 WAR BRIDES ABOARD.

Newport News, July 16.—The transport Mitsionia arrived today from France with over three thousand officers and men, including forty-five war brides, two war children and one mother-in-law aboard. There are a number of Arkansas casualties aboard.

SIMS COMENDED BY
JELICOE FOR GOOD
USE OF DESTROYERS

Transport Convoy System Proves Trap for Subs.

Sydney, Australia, July 16.—Recognition of the service rendered by Rear Admiral S. Sims, as commander of the American Naval forces in the war zone was accorded by Lord Jellicoe in a speech he delivered at Adelaide on a visit there recently. He said:

"While we were developing offensive measures against the submarine we were also developing a defensive or offensive system of convoying ships. Admiral Sims, for whom I have the highest regard, and whose assistance was always valuable, looked upon the convoy as an offensive system because if submarines could be attracted to the convoy the destroyers had an opportunity of dealing with them. At first we had not sufficient cruisers and destroyers for convoys, but the success of the system was shown almost immediately."

SHIP SINKING;
OTHERS HURRY
TO ASSISTANCE

Washington, July 16.—The American shipping board steamer Allison is reported in distress off the coast of Maryland. A message to the navy department stated that the vessel is in a sinking condition and is expected to sink any minute. The steamer Lakeview, eighteen miles away, is proceeding to the assistance of the Allison. The coast guard cutter Morrill is also proceeding to her assistance.

GERMANS PLAIN HEAVY TAX.
Weimar, July 16.—It is reported that the government's new tax bill includes surplus assessments on capital amounting to thirty per cent and also drastic imperial income tax receipts from which amounts will be apportioned among the federated states according to their needs. The national assembly yesterday rejected the socialist motion to abolish ranks of nobility, but favored a constitutional proviso decreeing the equality of men and women and refusing to recognize rights and privileges based on rank or social station.

LAST INTEREST PAID
ON MEXICAN DEBT IN
1913 SAY OFFICIALS

Carranza Government Is Concerned Over Wholly Inaccurate Reports Claimed by It to Be Circulated in U. S. as to Its Financial Obligations to National Creditors.

Washington, July 16.—Mexican newspapers reaching Washington contain long articles declaring that recent figures as to the Mexican public debt published in the United States, are "wholly inaccurate." In this connection financial experts here said comparison of the unofficial figures published in this country with figures given out by the Mexican treasury department show no great discrepancy.

The official Mexican figures as to the external loan debt of the country are \$148,472,000, with interest to the end of the month placed at \$43,000,000. The unofficial figures as recently published placed this total at \$173,469,000. The apparent difference, experts here said, is made up most by the \$30,000,000 of the Huerta loan, floated in France under authorization of the Mexican congress, but repudiated by the Carranza government.

The internal loan debt of Mexico, according to the official statement, is \$69,397,000 and interest to June 30, of \$17,914,000. The unofficial report gave this debt as \$66,611,000, and interest of \$14,530,000.

Washington financial experts say the Mexican treasury statement fails to account for all the guaranteed railroad indebtedness which the unofficial report figures at \$290,500,000; the obligations other than railroads, which the Mexican government has guaranteed, the chief of which is the farm loan banks debts, which, with interest to June 30, totals \$31,500,000; the "infalsifiable" issue of paper money, of which \$80,000,000, at 10 cents, United States currency, is still outstanding, making a total of \$8,000,000 more, or the \$20,000,000 which Carranza took as a "loan" from the banks of issue in Mexico City.

The fact that Mexico has paid no interest on her foreign debt since 1913 also is kept in the foreground by Washington experts, who, for the state department, are keeping a close watch on the financial condition of Mexico.

Experts here also assert that the Mexican government has used the entire income of the railroads and express companies without accounting and with no admission of responsibility.

DISREGARD HOLIDAY
BECAUSE MUST TAKE
CEREMONIAL BATHS

Mexicans Prefer Not to Go Near the Water on June 24.

Mexico City, July 16.—With St. John's Day come and gone again for another year the newspapers of the capital are unanimous in asking why this one time prominent fiesta is waning in popularity. The holiday occurs on June 24 and was early written into the customs of the Mexicans as a day for a bath and for a feast celebrating the nativity of St. John, the Baptist.

This year, according to the newspaper, there was a marked decrease in the observance of the day. The bath houses which in former years did capacity business from early dawn until noon were not busy. The holiday spirit was lacking. In the Zocalo, the principal place of the city, where o holidays booths are erected for the sale of food, drinks and trinkets, only a thin line of stalls marked the line for promenaders. The decadence of the fiesta was everywhere apparent.

MEXICAN AID IN SETTLING ROW REFUSED
San Salvador, July 16.—Mexico has offered to mediate in the Costa Rica difficulty caused by the revolutionary movement from the Nicaraguan border against the government of President Tinoco, but both Costa Rica and Nicaragua have declined mediation, according to advices here.

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Thursday, generally fair.

WILSON WILL INVITE
REPUBLICANS TO SEE
HIM AT WHITE HOUSE

Determined to Leave No Stone Unturned to Influence League Opponents in Its Favor -- Will Delay Trip Over Country Until Foreign Relations Committee Decides

Washington, July 16.—President Wilson has decided to invite republican senators to call at the white house to discuss the treaty and the league of nations, Secretary Tumulty announced today.

Senator Lodge, the chairman of the foreign relations committee, is understood to be one of the fifteen republican senators with whom the president desired especially to confer. It is indicated that invitations will not be limited to members of the foreign relations committee. The president is represented as being anxious to talk with all members of the senate and to answer any question they may desire to ask.

It is also indicated that as the president has placed himself at the disposal of the committee, he would not begin his tour of the country until the committee had a reasonable time to decide whether it wished to confer with him.

SPECIAL LAW SEEMS
CERTAIN OF PASSING
WITHOUT OPPOSITION

Committee Representing Commercial Club Reports That Trip to Austin Met With Entire Success -- Law Designed to Win Confidence of Entire Citizenship.

The passage of the special road law for Brazos county is practically assured, according to statements made by Senator Willford and Representative McDonald to the committee of Bryan citizens who went to Austin to present the matter.

The bill provides for the creation of the county road commission which will sit, in addition to the county judge and county commissioners, representatives of the various portions of Brazos county chosen by ballot to assist in the direction of road construction in the county.

The matter was put before the legislative delegation by Judge J. T. Maloney, F. L. Henderson and M. E. Wallace of the Commercial club. The bill is in response to what seems to be a feeling in certain quarters of the county that before the bond issue is passed the citizens of the outlying portion of the county will want to know that they will be specially represented on the body that has general supervision of the spending of the money. The supporters of the bill intend no reflection, they claim, upon the present county commissioners.

SAILORS TO FOREGO
BASEBALL GAMES ON
SUNDAY FOR SUMMER

Provincetown Won't Allow Any Sabbath Breaking.

Newport, July 16.—Admiral Henry B. Wilson, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet, will maneuver the big ships from Provincetown, Portland, and Gardiners Bay during most of the summer, according to word received here, instead of using Narragansett Bay as a base. Some years ago, when the late Rear Admiral Evans commanded the north Atlantic fleet, he abandoned Provincetown as a base because the town authorities refused to permit his men to play baseball on Sunday. Since then, until the United States declared war, battleships came annually to Narragansett.

WAR BOARD REORGANIZED.
Washington, July 16.—The war trade board has become a division of the state department in accordance with an executive order. While all functions and records of the board are transferred to the department, this will not affect or inconvenience importers or exporters in any way, it is said, as all licenses will continue to be issued and correspondence conducted in the name of the war trade board.

474,407 BALES IN JUNE.
Washington, July 15.—Cotton consumed during June amounted to 474,407 bales of lint and 15,037 bales of linters, the census bureau announced today.

Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.



This ad deals only with
COFFEE SENSE

1 lb. Arbuckle Coffee	35c
1 lb. Sunset Coffee	45c
3 lb. Can Rice Hotel Coffee	1.35
3 lb. Can Maxwell House Coffee	1.45

Give us a trial order.

Kennedy's Cash & Carry Grocery
PAY CASH PAY LESS
PHONE 56

PRESIDENT TO SWING AROUND CIRCLE SOON TO SPEAK ON LEAGUE

**Committee in Charge of
Treaty Asks Informa-
tion, But Not Dispos-
ed to Co-Operate with
Wilson in Delibera-
tions Upon Document
Submitted to Senate.**

Washington, July 15.—Indications that the president would not be asked to appear before the foreign relations committee to discuss the peace treaty were said today to have been received from administration quarters. High administration officials intimated that they were informed by some members of the committee that the majority of that body seemed hostile to suggestions that the president be asked to appear before them or that the committee confer as a body with him at the white house.

It seems likely that the president will begin his tour of the country speaking for the treaty and the league covenant earlier than he had planned if he is not asked to appear before the committee.

The committee later adopted a resolution requesting the president, if not incompatible with the public interest, to furnish the committee with virtually everything in connection with the treaty with Germany.

**NORRIS CHARGES
SECRET TREATY
WORKED BY JAPS**
Washington, July 15.—The charge that Japan secretly secured the pledges of Great Britain, France, Italy and Russia in 1917, stipulating that the peace settlement should award the Shantung peninsula to the Tokyo government for a certain consideration was made by Senator Norris of Nebraska, who produced copies of the diplomatic correspondence embodying the promises of Great Britain and France. These pledges, the senator declared, fully explained the pressure which resulted. The transfer of Shantung to Japan under the ratification of the treaty by the senate, he said, would be the blackest page in the nation's history.

MONEY TO LEND

Make definite arrangements for that farm loan for a long period of time, low rate of interest, with privilege of paying on or before if you are able and so desire. Do not be bothered with lien holders who may want their money at the very time it is hardest for you to raise it. \$65.00 per year will pay interest and principal on a \$1000.00 loan in the Federal Land Bank. Use Uncle Sam's Proven Method. For particulars, see

W. S. BARRON, Bryan, Texas.



Luedinghaus Bois D'Arc Wagon
One of the best wagons made. Guaranteed in every way by us.
E. F. PARKS & COMPANY

ARSON CHARGES ARE TO BE LAID AGAINST LONGVIEW RESIDENTS

Termination of Martial Law in Gregg County to Be Recommended by Brigadier General in Charge of National Guardsmen -- Rangers Making Many Arrests.

Longview, July 15.—Termination of martial law in Gregg county tomorrow seems sure, as continued quiet attends the situation growing out of the race troubles here recently. Brigadier McDill, commanding the national guardsmen here, plans to recommend to the governor the lifting of the military ban at that time.

Seventeen white men were released on bonds of \$1000 each, following their arrest late Monday on warrants charging assault with intent to murder in connection with the gun fight between whites and negroes here early last Friday. Warrants for their arrest were sworn out by Capt. W. M. Hanson of the Texas rangers and served by Sgt. Joe Brooks of that organization.

The men submitted to arrest without protest, waived preliminary examination and their cases will be considered by the next county grand jury.

Additional arrests were promised for Tuesday by Captain Hanson, whose men have been investigating the burning of six negro houses a few hours after the fight that resulted when the white men went in search of S. L. Jones, a negro, accused of writing an article defaming the character of a girl of this county.

Captain Hanson declared charges of arson would be preferred against any white men arrested in connection with the destruction of the negro homes and the rangers are obtaining names of persons alleged to have been implicated in this phase of the race trouble. More negroes also are to be arrested.

Continued quiet marked the passing of Monday, the second day of martial law here and Brigadier General R. H. McDill, commanding officer, expressed the belief that it will be possible for him to recommend to Gov. W. P. Hobby the restoration of civil authority here Wednesday if there are no adverse developments.

The 17 men arrested and released on bond were Ernest White, Byron Oden, Elbert Keller, John Ehrbridge, Colton Moore, F. S. Wheeler, Brickbat Robertson, Will Rossen, Fred Nelson, Walter Beall, Lewis Baer, Lowell Smith, L. A. Mackey, Ed Nelson, M. F. Flanagan, Clifford Barr and Robbie Vick.

Throughout Monday white men and negroes continued to turn in their fire arms in accordance with the martial law proclamation and Monday night it was estimated that more than 2000 pieces were the stack in military headquarters.

One detachment of guardsmen and rangers went to Kilgore to gather up arms there.

The ranger force will continue here for the present, with the exception of Capt. R. W. Albright, who returned to Austin.

Negroes held in connection with Friday's clash were removed to Austin Tuesday under guard of the Nacogdoches troops.

There is still no accurate clew to the whereabouts of Jones and Dr. C. P. Davis, the other alleged negro ring-leader.

350 FORDS REGISTER AMONG TOTAL OF 765 BRAZOS COUNTY CARS

**Dodge is Second With
Sixty-Six Regis-
trants.**

Three hundred and fifty cars out of the total of 765 cars registered in Brazos county during the first half of the current year are Fords, according to the records of Roy Hudspeith, tax collector. The Dodge car came second with 66, and the Maxwell third with 52.

The cars on the list, with the numbers registered is as follows:
Ford 350, Dodge 66, Maxwell 52, Overland 46, Buick 41, Chevrolet 37, Studebaker 27, Oakland 12, Saxon 12, Chandler 12, Cadillac 11, Hudson 10, Moon 9, Nash 9, Paige 7, Willis-Knight 6, Oldsmobile 6, Case 6, Hupmobile 4, Mitchell 4, Briscoe 4, Dorr 3, National 3, Chalmers 3, Pierce Arrow 2, Premier 2, Marian 2.

There was one registration each on the following:
Marmon, Wescot K., American La-France, Glide Six, Abbott, Jackson, Roamer, Sayers Scovill, White, Lexington, Metz, Scripps Booth, Franklin, Packard, Mercer.

MARTIAL LAW ALLAYS ROW IN LONGVIEW

Longview, July 14.—The situation here today continued quiet with Longview and the rest of Gregg county under martial law. Dismounted cavalry national guardsmen, under Brigadier General McDill, numbering over three hundred, are in complete control of the city. Important arrests in connection with Friday's clash between the whites and the negroes are expected during the day.

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with Worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

REGISTERED HEIFERS GIVEN AS PRIZES IN LIVESTOCK CONTESTS

Putting Farming on Better Basis and Making Rural Activities More Profitable Is Object of Short Course to Be Opened at College Next Monday, July 21

Through the co-operation of the registered cattle breeders association of the state, unusually good prizes will be given the members of the boys' livestock clubs of Texas who make the highest scores in livestock judging at the tenth annual Farmers' Short Course at A. and M. college which will begin next Monday, July 21, and continue through Saturday, July 26.

Registered heifers, valued at \$150 each, have been offered by the Texas Heifer and the Texas Shorthorn Breeders associations, through their respective secretaries, John P. Lee of San Angelo, and Louis B. Brown of Smithfield, and it is probable that the officers of the Aberdeen-Angus Breeders association will likewise offer a registered heifer as a prize. The club boys will compete in the judging of beef cattle but the winner of first place in the contest will be given first choice of the registered heifers, the winner of second place second choice, and that of third place, third choice. These are the largest prizes that have yet been offered in these contests and boys from all sections of the state are expected to compete for them.

Negotiations are on with the several swine breeders associations and the Texas Goat and Sheep Growers association with a view to having registered animals contributed by these organizations to the boys making the highest records in judging animals in these divisions.

Ten scholarships will be available to the girls making the best records in cooking, preserving, sewing, house-keeping and other phases of domestic science and art. The Woman's club of Bryan has given five scholarships in the Farmers' Short Course for the girls producing the largest variety of vegetables in the most attractive garden, the one who presents the best display of preserved food, canned, pickled, preserved and dried, the one who can show the largest number of young chickens on the yard, the one who displays the best and most neatly made garment, and the one who shows the greatest improvement in housekeeping. In two last named contests the neatness of the yard will be counted as well as beauty of flowers and vines.

The Woman's Reading club of Navasota offers two short course scholarships for the two best collections of preserved food, while the College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Grubbs Vocational college, Arlington and John Tarleton Agricultural college, Stephenville, offer scholarships to the winners of first, second and third places in the girls' canning club contests, the winner of first place in the contest to have first choice of the three scholarships.

In addition to those individual prizes for the girls there will be a silver loving cup given the team of three girls from any county making the highest score, while several smaller prizes will be given the individual members of these teams. Likewise a team prize in the form of a silver loving cup will be given the team of three boys making the highest record in stock judging.

Putting farming on a better basis, making farm activities more profitable and to make life on the farm more comfortable and inviting is the general object of the short course and to this end lectures and demonstrations are provided for men, women, boys and girls. For the men's division special emphasis will be given the subjects of better marketing facilities and more efficient organizations for farmers. In this connection Prof. R. G. Hourse, professor of applied economic and social science in Iowa Agricultural college, and regarded as one of the leading authorities in his line in America, will deliver a series of lectures during the week, his topics being such as "The Powers and Limitations of Co-operation," "The Agricultural Economist's foundation Principles," "The Essentials of Excellent Agricultural Industry," "Reconstruction of Our Ideals of Land Tenure," "Miracles vs. Common Sense in Marketing" and "Making the Farm Safe for Democracy." Dr. Bradford Knapp, chief states relations service, South, will also deliver an address during the course, as will Hon. Clarence Ousley, assistant secretary of Agriculture, and Walton Petzet, cotton marketing expert of the extension service.

Mrs. Elma Perry Foulk, domestic science expert of Columbus, O., will be the most distinguished lecturer and demonstrator in home economics, though a number of other experts have been provided to bring the latest suggestions on saving of labor in the home and making the home thoroughly efficient.

The evenings will be given over entirely to recreation and on Thursday night the canning club queen of the state will be formally crowned and picture shows, swimming parties and basketball games will be among the diversions offered.

Due to the failure of the U. S. railroad administration to grant reduced rates for the occasion it is suggested that as many of those who can come overland in their cars.

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MEXICANS SHIVER IN DELIGHT AT BULL AS HE GOES MATADORS

First Five Animals Were Tame, Unresisting Creatures, But the Sixth Proved Wild Enough to Furnish Thrills for Everybody, Including Toreros Who Barely Miss Death.

Brownsville, Tex., July 15.—They toyed in approved matador fashion with the first five "ferocious" bulls, those toreros in the prize ring at Matamoros, Mex., on July 4, but when the sixth and last bull flashed into the fray, the fight became replete with blood-chilling thrills.

It was at the Plaza de Toros Rodolfo Gaona, where ringside seats brought three dollars each, that the classic was staged. It rained slightly early in the exhibition, and the slippery arena caused the goring of two principals—aside from the bulls.

Here is the ringside account of the affair, as printed in a local newspaper:

Jose Ramirez Goanita, 19-year old matador, was gored in the ribs and again in the back of the neck by the sixth bull. He was painfully injured and will be scarred for life but will recover.

Gaonita, who has named himself after Rodolfo Gaona, the king of the Spanish matadors, is young at the game. At present he has more courage than experience, but he is regarded as a promising youngster.

On the last bull he tried a trick that Gaona has made famous: leaning over, half-facing the bull, turning so as to swish the cape behind him, and standing stock still while the bull takes the cape with his horns.

Some spectators say that the bull stepped on one of Gaonita's heels and threw him; others say he slipped on the wet ground. At any rate he staggered, lost one shoe, and the bull's sharper horn went into his ribs through the folds of the cape, wound about him.

Gaona went down, and following the toreros custom, lay perfectly still. Then he apparently thought the bull had been enticed away, for he turned his head to look up. The bull lunged at his head, caught the back of his neck with the blunter of his two horns and tore through the muscles at the base of the skull severing them. If the sharper horn had caught him instead of the blunt and splintered end of the other, Gaonita would not be alive today. As it is he may have a stiff neck for life.

Area, one of the banderilleros, had his girl in a box seat and he made a graceful and daring act of the banderillero planting each time, showing for her. But the same sixth bull got him when he slipped on the wet ground. He had made a good job of putting the darts into this bull's shoulders, but just when he was ready to retire the bull came at him. He started for the barrier, slipped and went down. He lay perfectly still and the bull let him lie.

PERSHING IN LONDON.

London, July 15.—Upon his arrival here to take part in the peace celebrations today General Pershing was met by Secretary Churchill and officers representing Haig and Sir Henry Wilson.

263 OFFENDERS GET FINES ASSESSED IN DALLAS IN ONE DAY

**One Judge Handles All
Cases, Setting
Record.**

Dallas, Tex., July 15.—What is declared to have been a record for cases disposed of in Dallas corporation court for one day was set recently when Municipal Judge Robertson tried 263 offenders and imposed fines aggregating \$1,145. Of the assessed fines \$845 was paid in cash. The previous record for fines imposed was said to be approximately \$800 in a single day.

Of the 263 cases disposed of, 224 were new and the other left-overs from previous sessions. Court was in session from 9 to 11:45 a. m. and from 4 to 6:15 p. m. The majority of the offenders were charged with violating traffic and speed laws.

Judge Robertson recently won a state-wide reputation by inaugurating a system of fining violators of the speed law at the rate of one-dollar-per-mile instead of imposing the customary nominal fine. Imposition of the heavier penalty, according to police officials, has resulted in greatly decreased numbers of offenders against the speed ordinance.

FRAUDS AND FRAULEINS LIKE VOTE

Berlin, July 15.—Fifty-four per cent of the voters in the last national assembly election were women. The total number of qualified voters was 37,000,000 as against 14,000,000 in the last Reichstag elections.

Young women proved more ardent voters than youths of the same age. Both wings of the socialists polled forty-five and one half per cent of the total vote.

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TEXAS FARMERS WILL MEET AT A. & M. FOR THREE-DAY ASSEMBLY

Bee Keeping, Marketing of Cotton, Poultry, Truck, Horse Breeding, and Other Farm Interests to Be Represented -- Clarence Ousley and President Brooks of Baylor to Be Among Speakers.

Now that the sun has shone contentedly for the past two weeks over the larger portion of the state, enabling the farmers to pull out of the grass, and the roads in every direction from Bryan and College have improved, a large number of people are expected to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the twenty-second annual convention of the Texas Farmers' congress that will begin at College next Thursday, July 17, and continue through Saturday morning, July 19.

Indicative of the progress the congress is making, this year's session will give itself largely to the consideration of the more pressing practical problems of the farm, such as the marketing of this year's cotton crop, the making of farming a business that returns a profit, and better rural schools that will result in more intelligent farmers and farmers' wives in the future.

The first session of the congress will be held next Thursday night in the air dome, but the meetings of the numerous auxiliary organizations will begin Thursday morning and hold through Friday, with the night sessions being given over to the congress proper, as well as all of Saturday morning.

Of large interest to the bee keepers of the state is the announcement that Dr. E. F. Phillips, apiculturist of the U. S. department of agriculture, and regarded as one of the greatest authorities in the country on the bee industry, will attend the sessions of the Texas Honey Producers' association and deliver an address on "The Future of Bee Keeping." This will be the first time Dr. Phillips has visited Texas in fifteen years and his coming will be the occasion of rejoicing to all the bee men. It is also announced that a paper by C. P. Dadant, editor of the American Bee Journal, will be presented at this meeting, while a number of the most successful bee men of Texas will discuss various phases of the bee industry in this state.

Hon. Clarence Ousley, assistant secretary of agriculture, will be the chief speaker at the general session next Thursday night when he will discuss the question, "Marketing the Texas Cotton Crop Under Present World Conditions," while on Friday night the chief address will be on rural schools by Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor university. Free motion pictures will follow each evening program.

On next Saturday morning the general question of "The Relation of Business to Agriculture" will be considered under three divisions: (1) Financing Farm Operations by C. S. E. Holland, banker, Houston; (2) Getting the Most Out of Farming as a Business Enterprise by John Gorham, farmer, Waco; and (3) Adjusting Farm Finances to Agricultural Production by H. M. Elliott, chief division of Farm and Ranch Economics, Texas Agricultural Experiment station.

Arrangements have been made for the accommodation of women who desire to attend the meetings of the congress and it is hoped a large number of Brazos county farmers will avail themselves of the privilege of hearing the discussions, both at the general meetings and of the auxiliary bodies which meet during the day Thursday and Friday. These bodies are the State Horticultural society, Texas Dairymen's association, Texas Swine Breeders' association, Texas Field Crops Improvement association, Texas Farm Boys Club association, Texas Honey Producers association, Texas Poultry Raisers association, Texas Truck Growers association, Texas Farm Management association, Texas Federation of Fairs, Texas Horse Breeders association, Texas Jersey Cattle club and Texas Railway Development Agents association.

ELECTRIC ROADS CAN NOT MEET CONDITION WHICH EXISTS TODAY

**Solution Satisfactory
to All Not Dis-
covered Yet.**

Washington, July 15.—Under existing conditions and with revenue now received by them, electric railways can not continue to perform the functions of them, said John H. Pardee, president of the American electric railway commission, appointed by President Wilson to investigate the situation confronting local traction interests throughout the south. Asserting that it was the purpose of the railway representatives to make a case before the commission, Pardee said they appeared to give the facts in the hope that a solution would be found satisfactory to the public employees and owners alike, in order to maintain good service at a reasonable cost.

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ADD COMMITTEES TO LIST OF THOSE WHO FOSTER CELEBRATION

Many New Names Enrolled in Movement to Do Honor to Returned Soldiers and Sailors August 7 -- Chairmen Asked to Have Meetings and Be Ready to Report July 17.

Additional committees have been named by the general chairman of the celebration in honor of returned soldiers and sailors which is to be held August 7. These committees and those previously named are asked to get together and get the situation in hand so as to enable the several committee chairmen to meet with the general committee at 3 p. m. Thursday, July 17, at the Commercial club rooms.

George A. Adams announces the following committees:

Barbecue committee—W. C. Boyett, chairman, College station; W. Wiprecht, Bryan; R. M. Nall, Bryan; Carl Jones, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 4; Claude Buchanan, Bryan; J. B. Priddy, Bryan; J. S. Mooring, Steeles; L. M. Cook, Bryan; Chas. Gerke, Kurten; M. B. Easters, Kurten; P. L. Barron, Wellborn; J. D. Battle, Millican; Henry Koontz, Zack; E. U. Peters, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 3; Luke Palermo, Stone City; Jno. Depuma, Steeles; Chas. Merka, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 5; Jno. W. Beard, Edge; A. C. Williams, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 3; C. S. Jones, Bryan; J. E. Covey, Bryan; A. B. McSwain, Wellborn.

Committee on grounds and arrangements—Roy Hudspeith, chairman, Bryan; M. W. Sims, vice chairman, Steeles; S. E. Eberstadt, Bryan; Locke McNeely, Bryan; J. H. Gammon, Bryan; Jesse Conlee, Bryan; W. S. Barron, Bryan; Jno. Kosarek, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 5; Tom McCallum, Tabor; Albert Payne, Edge; C. L. Beason, Bryan; C. C. Vick, Bryan; J. A. D. Robinson, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 1; H. O. Ferguson, Bryan; Jim Cloud, Bryan; C. C. Morgan, Bryan; J. H. Wehrman, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 5; Victor Todaro, Steele Store; Chas. Noto, Stone City; J. H. Reed, Harvey; Robert Fuqua, Millican; W. E. Graham, Bryan; R. F. D. No. 4; George Echols, Rosprim; H. C. Fulgham, Bryan.

The following have been added to the finance committee:

H. P. Dansby, Bryan; C. Edgar Jones, Bryan; A. M. Waldrop, Bryan; J. W. James, Bryan; Jno. D. Conlee, Bryan; Fred L. Cavitt, Bryan; Henry S. Locke, Bryan; Jno. C. Burns, College Station; E. H. P. Bain, Bryan; T. K. Lawrence, Bryan; Hendrix Conway, Bryan; R. W. Howell, Bryan.

The following additions have been made to the parade committee:

T. P. Hall, Steep Hollow; Jno. Sabo, Kurten; Horace Beard, Edge; Oscar Wilcox, Tabor; Jno. Riley, Reliance; O. L. Andrews, Harvey; Mrs. J. P. Royder, Wellborn; Mrs. Hugh Dowling, Wellborn; F. H. Pool, Millican; Chas. di Stefano, Smetana; Sam Crotopia, Stone City; T. L. Salvato, Steele Store.

Reception and entertainment committee—J. S. Doane, president Bryan Commercial club, chairman, assisted by committee composed of officers and directors of the Commercial club.

BONUS OF \$300 FOR TEXAS SOLDIERS IS REPORTED FAVORABLY

Austin, July 12.—The house committee on military affairs late yesterday afternoon reported favorably the bill by Mr. Malone providing for a special bond issue of \$50,000,000 with which to pay a bonus of \$300 to every soldier, sailor and marine from Texas who served during the war. Only one member of the committee voted against the favorable report.

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ANOTHER CASE OF WHY THE EDITOR TEARS HIS HAIR

It was close to the "dead-line" when a woman phoned the advertising department of the Evanston (Ill.) News-Index. "I've lost something very valuable," she sobbed, "and I want you to help me find it." In the final edition of the paper the following appeared: "LOST—On Orrington avenue, between Colfax and Simpson, a pair of teeth. Finder please return to Mrs. Ada Ketchum, Evanston, Ill." Early in the evening Mrs. Ketchum answered the telephone. "Think I've found your teeth, lady," started a man's voice. "What? My teeth! Why, I didn't lose any teeth." "An advertisement in the News-Index said you did." "Heavens, they bawled it up! I told them I lost my parakeet—my little parrot! It flew away last week." The receiver banged on both hooks simultaneously. At midnight Mrs. Ketchum had received her sixty-third call from "some one who had found her teeth."

